**OPEN FILE REPORT 79-083** COLEMAN DRAW QUADRANGLE UNITED STATES MONTANA - POWDER RIVER CO. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR 7.5 MINUTE SERIES (TOPOGRAPHIC) GEOLOGICAL SURVEY OPEN-FILE REPORT

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stratigraphic nomenclature. 28 OVERBURDEN ISOPACH-Showing thickness of overburden, in feet, from the surface to the top of the coal bed. Overburden isopachs within the stripping limit are omitted where they are too close to a mining-ratio contour for map readability. Isopach interval 200 feet BOUNDARY OF COAL 5 FEET OR MORE THICK-Drawn along the outcrop of coal bed and/or the inferred contact between burned and unburned coal and/or the 5-foot coal isopach. Arrows point toward area of coal 5 feet or more thick. DRILL HOLE-Showing thickness of overburden, in feet, from the surface to the top of the coal bed. MINING-RATIO CONTOUR-Number indicates cubic yards of overburden per short ton of recoverable coal by surface-mining methods. Contours shown only in areas suitable for surface mining within the stripping limit. To convert feet to meters, multiply feet by 0.3048. To convert yds<sup>3</sup>/ton to m<sup>3</sup>/metric ton, multiply yds<sup>3</sup>/ton by 13 15 32'30" 500 -Compiled in 1977 Base map from U.S. Geological Survey, 1966 1 KILOMETER MONTANA UTM GRID AND 1966 MAGNETIC NORTH DECLINATION AT CENTER OF SHEET

COAL RESOURCE OCCURRENCE MAP OF THE COLEMAN DRAW QUADRANGLE, POWDER RIVER COUNTY, MONTANA

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OVERBURDEN ISOPACH AND MINING-RATIO MAP OF THE KNOBLOCH COAL BED